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Estate of DAVID McBRIDE, Poceasod.

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The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of David McBride, late of the county of Macon and State of Illimits, deceased, hereby gives notice that be will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court homee in Decatur, at the May hort, at which time all porsons having claims against said estat, are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this ist day of April, 1984.

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DANIBL L. MCBRIDE, Adm'r.
April 1-43w

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By viring of two ofcoultons on transcript from J. P. to the directed but delivered by the flock of the Urrall Court of Mason county, Himpide in favor of Josse L. Fenton and themethon W. Fonton, but partners as J. L. Fenton & Cu., and one in favor of Jesse L. Fenton and thombur W. Fonton, but partners as J. L. Fenton & Cu., and one in favor of Jesse L. Fenton and both machast Abrain Hornbuck, I have brylod upon the following described property.

Leaft: The invitation of the northeast quarter of methon uniner thirty-four bill, township bunders according to 171 month, range two 125 mass of the tater principal meridian, Macon county, Hilmole, Taken as property of the soft Abrain Hornbuck, which I shall offer at public sale at the west duor of the court house in beautur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 30th day of April A. P. 1884, and a property of sale organization.

This loth day of April, A. P. 1884, and of anid shay for April A. D. 1884, A. P. 1884, and S. D. 1884 organization.

April 19 day of April, A. D. 1881.

WM. W. FORTER.

April 19 day

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STATE OF HELSOIS,

In the Circuit Court to May Torm, A. D. 1881, Januar J. Feddeeurd and Lowbor Burrows, complainants, vs. Edward Cassidy, defend-ant.—Bill to Surcetose.

ant.—Hill to Forection.

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March 1—d&wtf

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W. A. BRIDGES, the decorator, has a beautiful line of stylieh wall-paper at his place, No. 215 North Main street. Give

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THE DECATUR RETAIL MARKET.

Ruling Prices at the Various Stores Wheat and Coal.

DECATUR, ILL. April 12, 1884. THE PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR—First grade, White Lost, \$3.50 per hundred; second grade, \$3.40; third, \$3.30

BUCKWREAT—Bulk, 6 conte a pound; packago, 25 and 45 cents each. CORN MEAL-70 cents a bushel.

Corrers-Roasted, 3 to 7 he for a dollar resn, 3% to 8 hs for a dollar; package coffee, 15 and 20 cents. SUGAR-Cut Loaf, 8 Ds for a dollar; pow dered, 9 bs: A. 10 bs: extra C. 1014 bs.

APPLES-\$1.25 to \$1.60 per bushel. Eggs-20 conts a dozen. POTATOES-50 cents a bushel. CABBAGE-20 to 30 cents a bead.

CELERY-5 cents a bunch.
ORANGES-Florida, 50 cents a dozen. WALNUTS-75 cents a bushel. HICKORYNUTS-\$1.25 to \$1.50 a bushel, BUTTER-Country, 25 and 30 cents: Decatu reamery, 40 cents a pound Larn-124 cents a pound.

HAMS-18 cents a pound. CHICKENS-Dressed, 35 and 40 cents each. TURKEYS-16 cents a pound dressed. CRANBERRIES-12% and 15 cents a quart. Synurg-From 50 to \$1.00 agalien.

STOCK PRICES. COWS AND HEIFERS-Decatur butchers are paying \$4.00 to \$5.00 per hundred pounds. STEERS-\$5.00 to \$6.00 a hundred. SHEEP-\$4.00 to \$4.50 per hundred.

Hogs-\$6.00 to \$6.50. Butchers sell pork at 6% to 12% cents per pound; same for mutton, and 8 to 29 cents a ound for beef. COAL.

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lelivered: \$1.75 a ton at yards. Labigh hard coal, \$9.00 a ton: Lackawana GRAIN

Dealors are paying the following prices per ushed for grain: Whear-90 conts. CORN-85 to 40 cents OATS-25 to 30 cents. RTB-40 cents.

The World's Richest Man.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1884.

At the beginning of every year Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt makes it an invariable custom to take a careful inventory of his immense property. His strong boxes are then opened, their con-tents counted, and from the total the profit for the year is reckoned. In January, 1883, he told an intimate friend, who had dined with him that day, that he was worth \$194,000,000.
"I believe I am," said Mr. Vander

bilt, "the richest man in the world. In England the Duke of Westminster is said to be worth \$200,000,000, but it is mostly in lands and houses. It does not yield him two per cent. A year from now I shall be worth more than \$200,000,000, and will have an income

equal to six per cent. on that amount."
When his talking fit had left him the modern Midas repented his hasty speech and asked that it be not repeated, claiming his words were but boastful and his wealth exaggerated.

A few days ago Mr. Vanderbilt sent some papers to a gentleman with whom he had business relations. On looking them over the recipient was astonished to find the rough draft of a memorandum in the czar's peculiar handwriting. It was dated January 15, 1884, and was evidently his last balance sheet which by oversight had been folded inside another paper. Of course the secret could not be kept, and the figures reached the Journal. An error or two may have crept in on their travels, but in sub-

stance they tell the following:

Mr. Vanderbilt has registered in his name, and in coupon bonds. \$54,000,-000 in four percents., maturing in 1907. He has lately added to these \$4,000.000 in three and one-half per cents., and yet retains a trifle over \$1,000,000 in six per cents. The four per cents are worth 124, and the market value of his Gev-

124, and the market value of his Gevernments to-day is \$70,580,000.

But the bulk of the wealth of the king of millionaires is invested in railroad securities. He holds 240,000 shares of Michigan Central stock, 300,000 shares of Northwestern, including 80,000 of the preferred stock and a block of Omaha, 200,000 shares of Lake Shore and 120,000 shares of New York Central. Besides these are smaller amounts in a score of other stocks, among which are Rock Island, of which he had 29,000 shares, and Lackawanna, where the total was 20,000 Of the others he had in all 21,840. grand total of 930,840 shares of stocks Of various railroad bonds there was an aggregate of \$22,120,000, and of State and city bonds \$3,200,000. In miscellaneous securities, manufacturing

stocks and mortgages the sum of about \$2,000,000 was shown to be invested. Reckoning at yesterday's prices the value of Mr. Vanderbilt's railroad stocks is \$98,750,000, of his Governments \$70,580,000, of his railroad bonds \$26,857,420, of his other securities a trifle over \$5,000,000. aggregate is \$201,332,413.

The czar puts down an item of "real estate, etc., \$3,000,000." In this is included his splendid Fifth avenue mansion, which, with its furniture and contents, cost nearly or quite \$3,000,000. His magnificent art gallery, with its gems from the best modern masters, represents almost \$1,000.000, the estimate being that of a local connoisseur who is familiar with the gallery. His stables on Fifty-first street, occupying one of the most desirable building sites in the city, represent \$200,000, while the equine beauties there luxuriously lodged would not be disposed of for as much more. Mand S. would bring \$75,000 at a forced sale, and her owner would not dispose of her for any price. Early Rose and Aldine are also held above price.

The ezar can take life comparatively easy on an income of twelve millions a year, and watch his wealth pile up withou any effort of his: From his Governments, he draws \$2,372,000 a year; from his railroad stocks and bonds, \$7,394,320 from his miscellaneous securities. \$575. 695, or \$10,342,015 from his investments alone. Thus every day they earn for him \$28,334.25. Every hour sees him \$1.180.59 richer, and every minute means \$19.67 added to his hoard. Besides this, he calculates to make \$2,000,000 every year by fortunate sales. His reinvest ments last year he calculates did this.

This rich man lives well but not lay ishly. Last year his ordinary expenses, he stated recently, were but a trifle over \$200,000. In this is not included such luxuries as his great ball, on which he expended \$40,000. His attire is modest and does not indicate a Cræsus by any means. Mrs. Vanderbilt, too, although dressing richly, is by no means extravagant, although her diamonds ost her lord \$150,000. Since Mr. Vanderbilt made out his

alance sheet some unimportant changes have been made in his investments. He has disposed of some of his Lake Shore stock. Last week a firm of his brokers. Messrs. Barton, Davis & Miner, were large buyers of Rock Island, taking in one day 9,830 shares. Since then it has not been possible to dispose of any quantity of this except at considerable concessions. In his Michigan Central corner he altered also the figure of this stock. The change is merely an increase of his holdings of railroad securities at the expense of his loans and surplus income, for the czar does not keep a large bank account. Everything must bear interest, he believes.—N. Y. Jour-

A Badge of Mourning.

"Well, Brown was a good fellow and I am sorry he is gone," said a Western editor to the proprietor of the paper. "He worked hard all his life and died poor, the way of most newspaper men. "Yes," responded the proprietor, with considerable reeling, "Brown was a good printer, and it will be hard to fill his "I suppose we ought to attach some

thing to the door in the shape of a badge of mourning for a little while," sug-gested the editor. "It would be a good idea, but I don't believe there is anything about the place that would answer the purpose, and in the present feeble financial condition of the concern I don't feel like putting out

"No," mused the editor, "it would be better to settle up back salaries, first, but now 1 think of it, I know just the "What is it?" asked the proprietor.

"We might hang out one of the com-posing room towels."—Philadelphia Thousands Say So. Mr. I. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes 'I never besitate to recommend your niectric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellgive entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Swearingen & Hubbard.

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The first real life to business each season is generally seen in the Juvenile Department, for its conceded that the boys, as a rule, will wear out two or three suits to their father's one.

Without seriously reflecting on the clothing selected for them, we have endeavored to choose Fabrics which will reduce the unfavorable score against the boys, with what success our customers can best attest. One favorable evidence is the increasing call we find for reliable suits in these

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P. H. HUNT, Decatur, Ill. Contractor for all kinds of Grarite marble and stone work. feb-5dawt? March 24-dlmo

Tur Sullivan Progress recommends Major Ann Millior, of the Puscola Receive no a suitable candidate for the Demograph to support for the logislature, and the bashful major in arknowledging the compliment blushes, metaphorically, speaking, through a couple of stickfuls of modest protestation, but finally confenses his willingness thus:

If the party sees the to homer us with the nomination and election, we shall do only loss to medit the approval, not only of the party conforming the honor but of this people at large, by attempting to enery out the dethemonian principle of "doing the greatest good to the greatest

It's more of our fight, but the Democrate have next hundreds of works man than the Major to represont them at Springfield. Here's to you, old follow, hoping you may win.

Buwoh and rake.

The first candalates numinated for the Republicans of the fourteenth district to support are entirely worthy the confidence and votes of uv oryhody. Capt. Rowell is serving his their term in congress, faithfully and intelligently, and was fairly on titled to a conomination. Mr. Lake polonge to the old guard of Repub Honny, who has been faithful and carmed in season and out of season. He possesses all the qualifications necessary, and will make an efficient and unful momber of the board.

Hos. H. O. Paysu, of Ohio, pleasnntly, but very flendy, declines to be interviewed as to his willingness to neont the Domocratic Presidential nomination, if tendered to him However, when reminded that his son had said that he would not take it if offered, the old gentleman said, quickly and complianceally. "My son and I are two different persons, and I am not responsible for what he states." The old gentleman does not mean that the boy shall run him off the track. His policy, evidently, is to keep mum, let his friends work the "old-ticket" racket for all it is worth, and leave the rest to the final dension and influence of Mr. Tilden in the convention.

Tue fact that the Ponusylvania Demograte have elected a solid delegation in favor of the nomination of Mr. Samuel J. Randall for the Pres idoney is taken as an indication that all hopes of "the old ticket" (Tilden and Hendricks) have been Routly abandoned. Mr. Randall is prodited with maintaining very intimate relations with Mr. Tilden, and with entertaining such a profound respect for him that he (Randall) would rather see him President than he President himself. It is argued that Mr. Randall has become convinced of Tilden's determination not to be a candidate, and hence his willingnose to have a Presidential lightning rod put up on his own head. It soldon falls to a man's lot to do as much declining as Mr. Tilden has been called upon to do, but he seems to be willing to do it-if just the medicine you need, and will pay only for the fun of the thing.

The Immedian Worsted Dress Goods are relibrated for being the purest wool dyad, and most thoroughly finished in the market. We show a full assortment in all the intest nevelties, and new and de-irable colorings. Call and examine.

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BY TELEGRAPH

FLEEING THE MOB.

Winkleback, the Supposed Murderer of the Fleetwoods. Seeking Refuge.

The Avenger of Blood Hot Upon His Trail, But the Prisoner Supposed to Be Safe.

Further Particulars of the Awful Crime-Conflicting Stories of the Prisoner and Miss Fleetwood.

MATTOON, ILL., April 12.—The bruta butchery of Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood in their home Wednesday night is still the all absorbing topic of interest. James Winkle back, the man accused of the murder was lodged in juli at Charleston, as was tolegraphed. He had not been in the Charleston jail twenty minutes wher your reporter arrived at the Court-house and asked Deputy Sheriff Hamilton to permit him to interview the prisoner. This was at two o'clock in the morning but the officer thought it was no time for such matters. Around the jull were about a score of the friends of the Sheriff and all felt anxious lest the mob from the Fleetwood neighborhood should miss their man and come to Charleston and attack the jail. A harried consultation was held, and it was soon determined that the enfety of the prisoner demanded his speedy removal to Mattoon, twelve miles A NIGHT RIDE.

A flyery term was ordered to stand in readiness on a back street. The deputy, your reporter and the friends in the juil went to the cell and told Winkleback to dress binaself for a ride. He was found cowering on the floor of his cell, trembling with fear. No sleep had come to his restless body. He was handcuffed and conducted to the waiting carriage, into which he stepped, followed by Deputy Sheriff John Hamilton, the Mattoon Chief of Police and the reporter. The ride to Mattoon occupied three hours, over a rough route, and during the ride an effort was made to get something out of the prisoner, but it was an up-hill task. CLOSE MOUTHED.

He was shrewd enough to understand the importance of keeping his mouth shut. He said, however, that he was in-"All I ask is that I may be brought to trial." "How do you account for the empty chambers of your revolver?" he was

"I emptled one or two shooting sometime ago. I don't remember just how "What do you think of the girl's testi-

mony?"
"Well, she did not tell the same story on the stand that she did to the neighbors."

"It you did not commit the deed, what Is your theory of who dld it?"
"I have none; it is a mystery to me." "Well, we have got the right man, all the same," said the policeman To this remark Winkleback desgued no

What are your relations to the girl?' "Well, If I get out of this scrape I will marry her inside of two weeks" "Do you fear the mob now?" I am under obligations to the

Sherlff and attorney for aiding me in escaping. I felt pretty well scared, but gue-s I'm out of harm's way now." At four o'clock he was safely deposited in the Mattoon preson THE GRE'S STORY

Your correspondent sought and obtained an interview with Emma Fleet "Were you and Winkleback engaged?"

was asked her. "No," she replied; "he never made any others to me, and I have always the both blin as the hired man should be von believe Winkleback killed

your lather and mother?" "Yes; it is my solemn opinion that James Wlakleback Is the man that com-The daughter gave her testimony before the coroner in a straightforward manner, outsingularly, did not show signs of strongemotion. The nearest approach to great was a retrain, "Me! me! me!" with which she closed many sentences.

There are a few, a very few, however, who would implicate her as an accomplice, but to the majority this seems ground George Fleetwood, the son of the murdered man, said that Winkleback had al-ways entertained the kindest feelings for

the old couple, and he could give no reason why Winkleback should have done the deed, yet he felt sure that he was the gunty man. Winkleback had a treacherdisposition. AGAIN SPIRITED AWAY. It was the design that the people of Mattoon should not know that the murderer was la their midst, but the matter leaked out, and wlid reports of a coming made gave the officers some concern

This deemed it expedient to move their m in again, so at boon he was driven from the city in a close carriage accompanied by the Sheriff's deputies. Their destination was unknown. THE FUNERAL

The scene of the murder has been visited by hundreds of sight-seers. The functal of the Fleetwoods will occur at Ashunce to-day at 2 p. m. The prisoner well likely be brought to trial in about ten fastened the crime upon him as murder in

The Wreck on the Pan-Handle, Day rox. O., April 12.—There can now be no doubt that the Pan-Haudie wreck was the work of a miscreant who had a grudge against the road. Detective John Murphy, of Columbus, who is here to day, was met by your correspondent and stated that every indication points to this conclusion. The rail which wrecked the train was loosened by the spikes being drawn from the outside. It was evidently done by an experienced radroad man. Yesdiscovered, who described as about thirty-five set and wearing a dark mustache, who was seen about the place of the wreck a short time before it occurred. He broke with the implements secured there

"How are we ever going to get through our spring and summer's work? We are all run down, tired out before it begins." So say many a farmer's family. We anawer: Go to your druggist and pay five dollars for Ayer's Sareuparilla. This is compound interest on the investment.

Annual Meeting. The D. H. S. Alumni will hold its regular annual meeting on Tuesday evening, April 15, 1884, in the High School building at 7:30 pm. Every member should

make it their duty to be present. E. W. HRILMAN, Pree, 'April 9-dtd-wlt

B. STINE is solling a Jeans Pants, well adapted for mechanics and workingmen at 50 cente a pair. dtf

And the latest styles of spring shoes a the large popular store of L. L. Ferriss &

loosened the rail. The tools were found in the woods, 100 yards from the scene of the wreck, to-day, covered with leaves, etc. It is supposed that he came to this city. There is an intima-tion that the wreck is the work of Narrow-Gauge strikers in this city, but

> TORN TO PIECES BY A DOG. The Horrible Experience of a Nev

York Lady at Rockaway, L. I. ROCKAWAY, L. I., April 11.-Mrs. Egbert, of New York, the lessee of the East End Hotel at this place, was horribly and probably fatally bitten and lacerated by a feroclous bloodhound today while inspecting the grounds surrounding the hotel. The ficah was torn from her body, and her left arm was so horribly gashed by the fangs of the brute that amoutation was found necessary. It is doubtful whether the unfortunate lady will survive her in-Mrs. Egbert, who keeps

boarding-house New York, arrived here this morning to examine the hotel prior to taking possession of it for the season. She had received no intimation that the animal was kept on the premises as a protection against trespassers, and incautiously entered the grounds and met with the above terrible experience. Entering by way of the front gate, she was proceeding leisurely up the narrow and thickly-sheltered path/leading to the hotel entrance when she was startled by the growling of a dog proceeding from the direction of a clump of bushes on her left. Mrs. Egbert realized her perilous situation a moment later when a large blood-hound sprang flercely at her throat. The frightened woman attempted to escape, but had succeeded in getting only a few feet away from the animal before he made a second leap, and, alighting on her breast, bore her to the ground and began TEARING HER LITERALLY TO PIECES.

The lady displayed rare heroism, and apneared strength as she struggled with the wild brute, which was mad with rage, and which repeatedly sank his fangs into the body of the helpless victim. Mrs Egbert screamed in an agonizing voice for help, while she continued her desperate struggle, and the watchman finally came to her rescue and attacked the dog with an ax. mal by the man before he succeeded in on the lady, who by that time was unconsclous from fright and the intense agony of her wounds. The infurlated beast was at last driven away and the sufferer borno as tenderly as possible into the dwelling of a neighbor, and messen-gers were sent for physicians. An ex-amination disclosed the fact that Mrs. Egbert had been bitten about the body her clothing being torn to shreds and her left arm lacerated in a most frightful maner. After a consultation it was decided that amputation of the mangled arm was absolutely necessary, and the operation was performed, the patient being placed under the effect of oplates. The con lition of the sufferer is regarded as ver critical. The bloodhound has been the terror of the neighborhood for sometime and the fact that so dangerous an anima was permitted to roam about the hotel grounds has drawn forth the severest condemnation.

Western Export Association. CHICAGO, ILL , April 11 .- At the session of the Western Export Association to-day the demands of the Enterprise and Crown Distilleries at Pekin, Ill., were acknowl edged, and the Association decided to pay their percentages. The two distilleries were closed down by order of the Asso ention under the rule to limit production but failing to receive their percentages from the pool promptly, began suit to re-cover and the fact was cited that the pool contemplated dissolution. The decision to-day is regarded as making certain the continuance of the Association. POISONED HER BABY.

The Mother Caused the Guilty Couple's Arrest-A Brutal Father.

WESTMINSTER, Mp., April 11.-Samuel Hall and his wife, Catherine, have been arrested for the murder of Elmer Robertn, aged four years, son of Hall by Alice Robertson, a former mistress. When he married Mrs. Hall took intense dislikto the child and treated it most brutsliv Yesterday Alice Robertson, its mother suspected foul play and had the body dis Interred and a post-mortem held, which a once showed that death was the result of The guilty pair were at once ar The body was terribly scarred and blistered, showing horrible ill-usage

during life. Wind Up of a Wedding.

LEXINGTON, Mo., April 12.-A Swedish wedding yesterday afternoon broke up in drunken row, resulting in cracking skulls, hacking throats and blacking eyes. Some twelve persons were burt of the interference with one of the wed ding guests who wanted to pull up the floor with a coal pick.

The Creek Troubles Sattled. EUFAULA, I. T., April 11 .- The Creek troubles have been virtually settled. Checote and Speechee have concluded to to abide by the decision of the Secretary of the Interior, and advise their sun porters to do so. They are both Cree delegates to Washington under Perryman's administration, and have finally accepted the situation.

The Arkansas Fruit Crop. BEEBE, ARK., April 11 .- The fruit stood the cold snap on the night of the 9th inst. without material damage, but it is cold to-day, and fears are entertained that a heavy frost will fall to-night, if the weather does not moderate. The

Her Throat Cut and Skull Crushed. FEDERALSBURG, MD., April 11 .-- The oody of Mrs. Cecelia Bush, an aged woman, was found in a thicket near her resi dence with her skull horribly crushed and throat cut from ear to ear. There is no clew to the murderers.

Post-Office Robbed CHILLICOTHE, Mo., April 11.-The safe of the Aralon Post-office was carried away from that building Wednesday

night, taken out into the country and The thieves secured \$100 and English Waukenphast style gente

shoes in great variety at L. L. Ferriss & Go to Stine's and buy a 50 cent pair of

Hostery. Corsets and Ladies' Muslin Underwear, in varieties and assortments. unequaled in Decatur or the central part Big 18, Merchant St.

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For the best styles of Carpets, and owest prices, go to Linn & Sorugos.

March 22-dawt? CALDWELL can furnish you Decatur soal on short notice. Telephone 256,

An Eye-Open r. The fo-cent Jeans Pants at B. Stine's.

MATED AND MURDERED.

A Rich Maiden Who Waited Sixty Years for the Right Man.

And Then Showed Less Judgment Than Girl of Sixteen in Her Choice of a Rusband. Deserted After Three Months' Honeymoor

and Murdered at Last for Her

Hard-Earned Money.

route the strongest one the Government had. Mr. Bliss, however, assumed the

responsibility of putting the evidence be-fore the Grand Jury and I supposed he

knew what evidence he had to present

that an indictment might be secured.

ment was due to the Grand Jury or the

manner of putting the evidence before it

said he furnished evidence varying in de-

grees of strength on about forty routes This was placed in the hands of Mr

Bliss. Continuing, Mr. Woodward said "Brady called for a deficiency of \$2,000,

000 and Congress appropriated \$1,200,000. In was rumored that Walsh was asked to

deeper he will get into the mire."

The Hennepin Canal.

Illinois & Michigan Canal.

Colonel Parrish's Ice Bill.

A Pious Example

Defending His Sister-in-Law

built, gentlemanly-looking man by the

name of Risdenentered the building, and,

inquiring for the Fourth Auditor's office

between the eyes, which was fol-lowed by another, and another, is

mick succession, until Creamer imagined

whistle for an officer, and in the space

of a few minutes time Risden had re-

duced Creamer to the appearance of a

worsted prize-fighter. The officer came and arrested him. He promptly presented

his card and signified his willingness to

go to the station-house at once, saying

that he had finished his business with

Creamer. He subsequently explained to

the officer that Creamer, whose reputa-

tion had been none too good in the past

had written an insulting letter to his (Ris-

FORTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS.

House.

WASHINGTON, D. C. April 11.-The

Senate bill authorizing the Secretary of

the recovery of or ascertaining the fate

of the Greely expedition was passed by a

Mr. Hopkins (Penn.) called up the re

port of the select committee on charges

against H. O. Boynton, and said that un

tee had no desire to discuss the resolu-

tion. No one desiring to speak against the resolution, which declares the charges

not sustained by the evidence, and that

the House, it was adopted, without di

Mr. Hancock (of Texas) moved to set

The Speaker proceeded with the call o

committees for reports of a private na

Burned Alive and Killed.

horses were killed.

there are no grounds for any action

pension appropriation bill. Lost.

den's) sister-in-law.

A crowd of curious and excited

the Treasury building was

down.

iving there he sent for a clerk

nent during the war.

House, receiving no visitors.

In answer to an inquiry Mr. Woodward

I do not know."

Whether the failure to secure an indic

CAMBRIDGE, Mb., April 12 - Four year ago Miss Celia Bush, who had been noted for nearly thirty years as a recluse and was the owner of an estate valued at several thousand dollars, situated near William's Barge, married a school teacher named Murphy. The old woman was then about sixty years of age, and Murphy was credited with having married her for her After living together three months Murphy suddenly disappeared and was not seen again until several days ago, and then only for a short time. Yesterday afternoon Miss Bush, as she was called since her husband left her, was found in a thicket murdered. Her throat was cut from car to car and her skull had been beaten in with an axe. A RECLUSE AND RICH.

Her house is situated in a dense clump

of woods almost inaccessible to pedes trians and she has been the sole inhabtant of it since girlhood, except during the brief period of her married life. She very seldom left her secluded place and worked the farm herself. It was not unusual to see her plowing, and as she drew all her money from bank years ago, it was generally accepted that she was very rich. She was never known to spend a cent of money, subsisting wholly from cornhread and bacon, the product of her farm. In the neighborhood she was regarded as a witch, and it was certain that she had conceated about the place all the money which had come to her from her parents along with the farm. The precise amount of this money can not now be ascertained, as the murderer, who, it is suspected, was Murphy, ransacked the building from top to bottom, breaking open bureas, trunks and other receptacles in search of the valuables. THE MAN SHE MARRIED.

Murphy, the missing husband, was a remarkably good-natured man, as all remember, and this fact leads many to doubt his guilt. White teaching school he proved to be thoroughly educated, but was undoubtedly remarkably lazy. When he learned of Miss Bush's wealth he commenced to pay her attentions and fur-nished the neighbors quite a sensation by marrying the old lady, despite her sixty years. Not long after the marriage Murphy resigned his position as school teacher and commenced to lead a life of idleness. This enraged the hardworking woman, who insisted that he should work beside her in the field. He declined and after several weeks' squabbling, during which Murphy discovered that he could not hope to get any of his wife's money, he disappeared About two years ago it was learned that he had been seen in a Dela-ware town just beyond the Maryland

VERY RICH. From the time her husband disappeared the old woman, if possible, became even more austere in her life. She employed no help except to mow and rack her grain which she had previously plant-ed and cultivated. Nearly all the produce of her place she sold, and as she never bought anything, it latterly became mystery as to how she could sustain life Forty years ago she must have had \$50,000. As she kept no bank account, the money was undoubtedly concealed about the house prior to the murder. State Attorney Hensy went to the place to-day and took charge of the effects a rigorous search failed to give any clew to the murderer.

THE DISCOVERY. The murder was discovered by a la-borer of an adjoining farm, who, in pass-through the woods Wednesday afternoon, noticed that Miss Bush was not working He suspected that she was ill, as she had never before been known idle. He went to the house and saw that it had been robbed. The neighbors found the body after an hour's

AN EARLY LOVE. "Celia Bush," said an old lady of this town to-day, "was a beautiful girl forty-five years ago, when she was about twenty years of age. She was educated n a private school in Wilmington, Del., ind she was engaged to a man named Morley, when she came home, after graduating. Morley was a small, delicate nau, ugly as sin, but evidently a gentleman. Cella was crazy over him, and when he juted her one day for a school-mate, a Wilmington girl who was visiting her, she became virtually insane. In fact, I think she did lose her reason through grief, as she was delirious

fer more than three weeks with typesoffer weeks with the three weeks with typesoffer weeks with the typesoffer weeks with the typesoffer weeks w ago, I think she was crazy, as she several times asked me if I did not think he looked like her girlhood's lover. Anyway, from the time Morley disappeared, she became misanthronic, and when her narents there such lenly of small-pox, three months later, she shut herself up from the world, and commenced leading the life which has made her famous hereabouts for so many Murphy's whereabouts are unknown

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Star-Route Frauds. Washington, D. C., April 11.-Mr. P. H. Woodward continued his testimony before the Springer Committee yesterday. He said there was a gentleman in this city who got \$500 for calling on the Senators and Representatives from the Southwest and securing their signatures to a petition for an increase on the Las Vegas and Vimta route. All but two

One Congressman said to the gentleman: "This is wrong, but the Posmaster-General is not fool enough to do it; and I'll sign the petitions to oblige you." A man whose name was on the paper told witness he had no conception of the increased cost brought about by their in-

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suit at Fleury's old reliable Clothing House. They sell the best goods for the lowest prices, and present you with a nice base ball, bat and cap. Fleury's One Price Clothing house, corner Old Square

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On April 8th and April 22d, Thomas Bivins will run two cheap excursions over the Wabash and connecting lines west to points in Kaneas and Missouri. For further particulars and circulars call on Mr. Bivine at his office at J. T. Hand & Co.'s postoffice block. aldtd

Easter Eggs-Dialogue. fluence. The total expense to the Govern-Scene: Grocery store in the suburbs. ment of the Las Vegas and Vinita route Enter Farmer.-What are you paying for nearly three years, was about \$300, 000, and the revenues for the same period amounted to about \$600. The route was Grocer-Twelve and a half cents per

about 725 miles long, with scarcely any offices on it, and a portion of it through Farmer-Why I hear J. A. is paying s wilderness. Sometimes there would thirteen cents.

Grocer-Well, I won't let half a cent not be a single letter in the mail bag." "Did you not carefully go over the evispoil a trade. What do you want for dence you obtained on this route before the Grand Jury?" asked Mr. Springer.

Farmer—I want the cash. "I was before the jury on this route about half an honr, and in that short Grocer-Well, here is one dollar and time explained the evidence as best I could. Many questions were asked: some by George Bliss; and if I had been responsible I would have stayed before that jury a week, for I considered that Enter Customer.—What are you selling egge at? Grocer-Fifteen cents per dozen. Oustomer—Two for a quarter? Grocer—No; I can't stand that.

to \$4.00.

Grocer-No: I can't stand that.
Customer-Why, I can get them up at PATTERNS for Spring. . A.'s for that. Grocer-Well, as you are an old customer, you may have them at that price. How many will you have?

Onstomer-Two dozen, and please harge them. Grocer ponders the situation, and after shausting the rule of three in a vain effort to find a profit, wonders when he will

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on able to retire from business.

men so that \$2,000,000 might be secured, the more workmen. The better they but he declined."

Before the committee adjourned Mr are paid the more money they will Springer read a telegram from Wm A. Cook, saying that he desided to cross-exhave to buy flour, butter, provisions, and products of the soil of every amine Mr. Woodward on his testimony kind. The free-trader tells the farm Mr. Woodward said: "I told nothing er that he can buy his wine, silks but the truth yesterday, and I could tell more if my information was not in confi broadcloth, etc., cheaper under free lence. I don't want to break confidence trade. But if he don't care to buy to expose the villainy of the rascals. The more Mr. Cook stirs up this mutter the any large stock of these why should he vote for free trade, which will WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.-The close up home manufactories, destroy Committee on Rivers and Harbors have his home market, and bring one-half taken no action vet on the question of in of the laborers of the factory to comserting the Hennepla Canal appropriation pete with him in the field? No senin the River and Harbor bill. The comsible farmer or artisan of any class ment in these dispatches that Secretary Wright of the Mississippi River Convencan fail to see the direct evil effects ion was yet undecided as to his duties it of free trade upon the entire workregard to this question has brought him a good deal of advice from interested parng class. ies in the Mississippi Valley, which adds o rather than lessens the complications

THE New York Sun save in case the Chicago Tribune should come WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.- The out for Blaine the files of that paper Committee on Railways and Canals will to-day, if opportunity affords, present its yould make interesting reading, pareport in favor of the acceptance ticularly those of 1876, about the by the Government of the Illitime of the Cincinnati convention. nois & Michigan Canal. The indications are that the House will adopt the bill as reported if it can be reached on

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce James W. Hubbleston as a candidate for Aiderman in the Second Ward. WASHINGTON, D. C. April 11 .-- The the Second Ward.

HAVING been urged by many of our leading business men and voters of the 3d ward, without regard to opinion or party, to become a candidate for Alderman, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for that position, without p edge or promise other than, if elected, to represent the interest of the lux-payers of the 3d ward and the city to the best of my ability.

WILLIAM H. STARK. Liouse Committee on Claims yesterday decided to make a favorable report on the \$50,000 claim of Colonet Parrish, of St. Louis, for ice furnished the Govern-

We are authorized to announce John W ltussell as a candidate for alderman in the first ward. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.-The President attended services at St. John's We are authorized to announce [William Schroll as a candiate for to-election as alderman in the third ward. Church this morning and speut the re-mainder of the day quietly at the White

We are authorized to announce Henry C.

JAKES as a candidate for re-election as alder-nan in the fourth ward. By the urgent request of many voters representing at parts of the second ward, L. Rurzy has consented to become a candidate of Addrinan of the same at the ensuing city WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.-Quite an interesting episode took place in the Treasury Department yesterday. A well-

was shown to that official's bureau. Ar (Notices in this column, of five lines or less, vill be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable Preamer, who is a quite bandsome fellow. n advance.] and imagines himself a good deal of a masher." Creamer responded, and on WANTED—Three good intelligent young men on salary. Call immediately at 437 East William street. April 11—dot* T. A. Williams, Manager. putting in an appearance in the hall was met by a sudden and most vigorous ap-plication of Mr. Risden's fist immediately

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WANTED-A lot of second-hand lumber answer soon. Address A. L. S., Box 200, April 7-d2* WANTED-A competent cook at the residence of E. A. Jones-one mile north of Decatur. Good wages. No washing nor from larg to do. April 6-46 CHEAP JAKE-The Paynbroker, loans mo Cited FANE—The Prevention of the alarge lot of the order and kinds of goods; Inko a large lot of uncaded and goods for said cheap, such a conting, Watches, Pistois, Grins and Musics instruments, and all other kinds of goods, a life North Main St., Northwest corner of Olsquare. C. JACOBS, Proprietor. 5-diw the Navy to offer a reward of \$25,000 for

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WHITEWASHING.—I am prepared to do Whitewashing in the very best style or the art. Leave orders at No. 121 N. State St., ture, and a number of private bills wer reported.

Mr. McMelan, from the Committee or onsement of Roach & McReynolds' store, JES-E WRIGHT & PONDEXTER, March 27-dimos the Revision of Laws, reported a bill limiting to two years the time within which

A SSIONEE'S NOTICE.—Those indebted to A the late firm of Dinneen & Doyle will call on me at once at No 658 East Elderade street, and make payment, and thereby save trouble and expense. These accounts must be collected.

March 27-44w prosecution may be instituted against persons charged with violating the inter-nal revenue laws Placed on House cal-Mr. Heuly, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported a bill forfeiting the Northern Pacific land grant. Placed on WANTED-Everybody to know that Back-man Bros. will buy or trade for rour old style furniture in excange for new. Call and see thom. House calendar.

FOR RENT-An office on second floor, and third floor, over Fleury's.

J. M. CLORBY. PITTSBURGH, PA., April 11.-At ten o'clock this morning while Samuel Reitman and Wm. Sheerough were engaged i. Dissolution ivotice. loading sand on a wagon, the bank above The firm of Holland & Peniwell is this day gave way covering them ten feet deep under sand and rocks. Both men and The firm of Holland & Peniwell is this day dissolved by mutual consent, N. W. Holland having disposed of his interest to John Peniwell. The business will be continued at the old stand by the new firm of Peniwell Bros, who will pay all debts of the old firm and who respectfully solicit a continuance of public favors.

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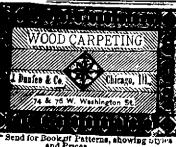
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April 5-d&wtf Assignee's Notice. ASSIGNED S AVUICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Nundersigned has been appointed assigne
of John Irwin, and all persons holding claim
or claims againet and John Irwin, are hereby
notified to present the same to me, under oath
or affirmation, within three months of this
date, whether said claims are due or not. All
persons indebted to said assignee are requested to make prompt payment of the same,
Dated this 28th day of February, A. 1, 1884.
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Special attention paid to fine ORNAMENTED WEDDING CAKES.

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We to day place on Exhibition at our store a glass globe filled with beans, and to the customers making the best guess at the number of beans | lead the singing. in said globe we offer the following prizes:

BEST GUESS. 1 No 38 Champion Monitor Cooking Stove.

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1 Novelty Clothes Wringer.

FOURTH BEST GUESS.

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Customers are entitled to one guess for each dollar's worth of goods purchased and paid for between April 1st and December 31st, 1884. The same committee that seals the globe will award the prizes; we have nothing to do with the counting. Read the certificate of the committee:

We, the undersigned, have deposited a quantity of beans in a glass globe, on exhibition at the hardware store of Ferguson & Dillehunt, this city, have securely scaled the globe, and have no knowledge of the number of bonns contained therein.

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Decatur, Ill, April 1, 1884.

Borides the above inducement to trade with us, we offer you good goods at bottom prices and a full appreciation of your custom. We have largely inorensed our stock of General Hardware, and have the largest assortment of Stoves in the county. Give us a call.

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT

125 North Water Street. April 1, 1884--d&wtf

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

Are offering Special and Unprecedented Bargains in a new line of

Just received from the factory in Rochester, N. Y. The best goods and the lowest prices ever offered in this city. Inspection solicited.

April 2-dawir

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 12, 1884

Until further notice our price on 1847 Rogers Bros. knives is \$250 a dozen, or \$1.25 a set. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co. EASTER to-morrow.

Look out for new hate at the churches to-morrow.

REVIVAL at the Church of God every night next week.

SEE what J. W. Baker says in regard THE "tug of war" in city politics will ake place at the polls Tuesday next.

Go to church to-morrow. THE "5 Queens" are coming.

JUDGE SMITH will open the spring erm of court at Tuscola on Monday next. SEE Warren & Durfee's advertisement

on the first page of this paper. 119dtf THE Decatur Knights Templar Commandery will attend Easter services at Stapp's Chapel to-morrow forenoon.

Sam Lee, 130 North Water street-machine ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, culls 5 cents per pair. dec 11-dly If you want a clean bed to sleep in go to the Park Hotel. ap12-d6t.

THERE will be a raille for a \$75 watch at Albert Morgan's P. O. Place this evening, and those having chances in the same will be there in full force.

600 PAIRS Kid Gloves at 50 cents. Noth

ing to equal them at that price. April 11-d&wtf Linn & Scruggs.

The best of stock feed at low prices at Tuller & Parke's, near the tabernacle.

THE English Lutheran Sunday school will colebrate its Easter Festal service to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, according to the custom of the Lutheran church WAIT for the big show. The "5 Queens

JOSEPH COOK On "The Severn Modern Wonders of the World," at the operahouse on Thursday evening, April 17th. F. D. CALDWELL has the best grades of

tf Boys' flannel waists at Stine's. THE examination of Daniel W. Jones n Justice Lowry's office for contempt of court, was concluded last evening. The

defendant was fined \$5 and costs. SEE what J. W. Baker says is regard

alld&wtf to windy advertisers. THE front of the Lichinger tenement roporty on West Eldorado street is being beautified by the addition of a shapely

STETSON'S HA AT THE PARE mar11-dtf LEAVE orders at J. W. Tyler's for dura ble driving and farm harness.

Fine oil cloth, lovely wall paper, and superb carpets at Abel & Locke's.

THE seventh anniversary of the Young

Men's Christian Association of this city will be held in the Tabernacle, on Sunday, April 20th, at 7.30 p. m. Addresses will be delivered by Robert Weidensall and Dr. Marquis. A male chorus of sixteen voices, directed by Prof. Lutz, will

PARTIES, weddings, &c., supplied with Ice Cream on short notice by Clint Bromar21-dtf

DUNLAP'S HATS--H.; F. EHRMAN & CO., SOLE AGENTS. March 11-dtr

THE Rev. Mr. Musgrove writes us that the trustees of his church at Springfield this week let the contract for a new Methodist church building at the State Capital, which when finished ready for use will cost \$70,000.

HARD and Soft Coal at Martin's.

ALWAYS smoke Schroeder's famous Bohemian cigars. A nickel each. Al

Spring shoes best quality lowest prices in the city at the large popular store of

L. L. Ferriss & Co. DECORATE your houses—buy your dec.

ABEL & LOCKE'S. Until further notice I will sell sprouted ootatoes at 20 cents a bushel. Respect PETER ULLRICH.

600 PAIRS of 3 Button Kid Gloves at the very low price of 50c. Exceedingly cheap. Linx & Sonugos. 12-dawtf

OREMISTS have found that fifty per cent, of the baking powders analyzed are adulterated, alum forming a prominent part of some of them, which makes such powders unfit for use. Articles like Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder are the safest to use, as they never endanger the public health.

PATRONIZE Niedermeyer on the Mound and you will get reliable groceries, fresh butter and eggs, at lowest figures.

JEANS Pants at 50 cents a pair at B.

ORDER your hard coal from F. D Caldwell, P. O. Block, Telephone 256, oct 17 dbf Call at Hanks & Patterson's and get

solid apples, fresh butter and nice canned Burks' White Pine Balsam.

Barks' White Pine Balsam. Use Burks' White Pine Balsam. Use Burks' White Pine Balsam for coughs and colds. For sale by H. B. Cole.

Buy your hard coul at Martin's.

WILSON BROS.' fine dress shirts for sale

The Republican Convention. The delegates to the Republican Congressional Convention, held at Clinton Friday, arrived home last evening, having had a harmonious and interesting meet-Mr. James C. Lake, of Macon. for mem-

ber of the state board of equalization, was

stated last evening in a special from Clin-

ton. On the eleventh ballot Mr. Lake got 24 votes, and Mr. Cusey, of DeWitt, 20, when the Piatt delegates changed their votes, giving Lake 29. His nomination was made unanimous. State Senator Joseph W. Fifer, of Mc-Lean, and George K. Ingham, present county judge of DeWitt, were elected delegates to the National Republican

Convention. The alternates are Hon. J. W. Haworth, of Macon, and Julius A. Brown, of Piatt. the state board of equalization. This is

Hon. E. D. Blinn, of Logan county, was elected presidential elector for this disrict by acclamation.

The following are the members of the district committee: Major C. F. Emery, Macon: O. E. Harris, DeWitt; T. C. Ker rick, McLean; W. H. Plunk, Piatt; W. H. Kretsinger, Logan. The delegates to Chicago were instruct-

ed by a unanimous vote to use all honorable means to secure the nomination of Hon. John A. Logan as the Republican candidate for the Presidency. Gen. Logan's course in regard to th

case of Fitz John Porter was endorsed by the unanimous vote of the convention. The proceedings were marked by grea harmony and unanimity of spirit, and the reports from the various counties in re gard to the condition of the party were

The chairman of the convention wa instructed to telegraph Congressman J H. Rowell that he had been unanimously nominated for re-election.

highly satisfactory.

Reites From Shiloh. Capt. T. J. Bryant, the Methodist Circuit preacher, who arrived home yesterday from the Shiloh battle field, paid us a pleasant call this forenoon, and presented the Republican with a hickory stick suitable for a cane, out from a sapling that grew upon the site of Sherman's Camp near Shiloh Church. He showed us the leather flap or cover of a cartridge box which he found near the church. If lay there in the ground 22 years, and is hadly decayed. It was given to Cantain Hartley. Captain Bryant's statement of observations made during his stay at Shiloh are full of interest, and we may present them in full ere long.

Special Excursion Train, For ithe Republican Convention at Peoria the Illinois Midland Ry will run a special train of elegant coaches, leaving Decatur at 12:45 p. m., arriving at Peoria at 5 p. m. April 15th. Round trip tickets, good to return up to April 19th, \$2.35. Returning, the train will leave Peoria upon the adjournment of the convention. April 12-d2t

Mad Dog Killed.

Yesterday a mud dog was killed on J. A. Brown's farm east of Decatur. The dog was a good one, and Mr. W. M. Davis, the owner and tenant, at one time was offered \$10 for him. Mr. Davis got his shot gun and killed the brute. The dog was going about frothing freely at the mouth and acting quite ugly. Mr. Brown, who witnessed the killing of the dog, says he was ready to climb a tree had the snimal made a move toward him.

A Free Show. The Decatur Turners, under the direction of their teacher, Mr. Webber, are arranging for a grand free entertainment, to be given at the opera house on Friday evening, April 25th. Invitations will be issued, and only those holding cards will tion of gymnastics and calesthenics, and it will be well worth witnessing.

The famed Rose Etynge dramatic company will present the above entitled play at the opera house next Friday night. It is one of the standard emotional dramas and as this will be the last dramatic company to visit Decatur this season, no doubt the hall will be filled. Popular prices. Read the "ad."

THE sad news reached Decatur yesterday of the death of Miss Julia Everett, niece of Dr. W. J. Chenoweth, which took place at Mayeville, Ky. This is the young lady who was injured in the runaway accident when R. H. Piper, of this city, Miss Taylor and Miss Ella Everett were thrown out of a buggy. Miss Julia, who was a bright and interesting young lady, jumped out behind, and in the fall had her skull fractured. The funeral occurred this afternoon at Maysville. Mr. and Mrs. Piper will be home in a few days.

Communicated. EDS. REPUBLICAN: - When I was a lrinking man I often saked Jim Huddleston for money to buy whisky, and he would say no, but when I was sober and asked him for money to buy bread he never refused me. I for one can say be has been a temperance man from his boybood, as I have known him for twenty ONE WHO KNOWS.

BEECHER never heard of a check-rower until he visited Decatur; and hog rings were a revelation to him. In this respecat least he was as ignorant of Decatur's chief inventions as was Oscar Wilde on the occasion of his visit to this city.

THE most elegant piance are the Haires Bros.' instruments, sold only in Decatur by C. B. Prescott, in opera block.

EASTER will be properly observed by the Baptist church. The ladies will decorate the house of worship with flowers and the pastor will preach sermons commemorative of the day.

If You Want

a first-class boarding house, with or without lodging, go to the Park Hotel. Don't forget to get your seats reserved

for Joseph Cook's lecture on "The Seven Modern Wonders of the World" Holders of course tickets are all entitled to the best seats they can get.

THE case of the City of Decatur vs. D. W. Jones, charged with using abusive language, was tried by jury in Justice Lowry's court to day. The verdict was guilty, and the fine was fixed at \$15 and THAT slight cold you think so little of

may prove the forerunner of a complaint that may be fatal. Avoid this result by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the best of known remedies for colds, coughs, catarrhs, bronchitis, incipient consumption and all other throat and lung diseases. 7

Mr. R. E. Careins, of Long Creek township, was one of the nine delegates from this county to the Congressional Convention held at Clinton yesterday, and he ing. The fact that Capt. J. H. Rowell, of came to the city Thursday evening to McLean, was nominated for congress, and lattend the Beecher lecture and be on hand to take the train for Clinton; but he overslent himself vesterday morning, and missed the train. He was greatly put out because he got left, and for awhile he thought seriously of walking to Clinton, a distance of 21 miles, believing he could get there in time to be present at the opening hour, 11 o'clock. He was determined to go any way, and he started up the Central road on a fast walk. He reached Maroa, 13 miles distant, and there he hired a buggy and drove to Clinton, arriving a few minutes after 11 o'clock, but in plenty of time to cast his

ballot for Major Emery for member of

the sort of plucky material Long Creek

Republicans are made of. A walk of a

score of miles doesn't frighten them a bit,

They may get left by a train, but they are

always on hand when it comes to voting.

The Long Creek Delegate

Yesterday Mrs. Emma Sella swore out ont that the Hercules method is certainly state warrant in Justice McGorray's court for the arrest of Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, Frank McCollum and four females. Each and all were charged with keeping and maintaining a house of ill-fame. All powder is not attended by any danger. of the parties, except McCollum, were arrested by Sheriff Foster and Marshal powder did its work well. The stumps Mason, who brought them before Mc-Gorray. Mrs. Davis was fined \$30 and costs. Three of the young women were fined \$20 and costs each, and the fourth \$5 and costs. The Justice, as he understood the law, could not send the parties to jail for non-payment of the fines for the offense named, and the parties were permitted to depart. Executions were issued, and when they are returned "no property found" the parties may be taken in custody and put in the county jail. For the first day's incarceration the law allows a prisoner a credit of \$10, and for

PERSONAL MENTION.

each succeeding 24 hours, \$5. Unless the

fines are paid, the whole gang will soon

find themselves behind the bars.

Eli Brenneman, of the Elm Grove stock arm, is in the city. Capt. T. J. Bryant got home last even-

ng from Sbilob. Dr. Curtis and family are now comfortably installed at the Hotel Brunswick.

Lider Buck will conduct quarterly meeting at Danville this evening and preach there to-morrow. Mrs. Dr. Rice and friend, of Niantic,

were guests at the New Doming yester-

W. G. Peterson, advance man for the "Book Agent" comedy to be given next Saturday night, was in the city last

H. B. Funk, of the Monticello Bulletin, slumbered at the St. Nicholas last night, and interviewed a number of our business men to-day.

Henry Flood, who has been quite ill with malarial fever for a week, was very low last night. His condition is considered slarming. Will Hubbard, we are pleased to state, is recovering from his late severe illness.

He may be able to be at the store again within a week. Sabbath school at 2 p m. Sacrament of Baptism at 3 30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Corner North Main and Eldorado J. H. Huston, P. T. Nichols and Julius A. Brown, all of Piatt county, were at the atreets. St. Nicholas last night. They attended Rev. M. S. Newcomer will occupy the pulpit to-morrow. Subject at 10 30 a.m.:
"The Resurrection." Evening theme:
"Our Brother's Blood." Revival services the Clinton convention yesterday.

Miss Esther Chandler, daughter of Mr. Al. Chandler, was given a surprise party recently at her home on Bradford street in honor of her 18th birthday anniversary. A large company of friends were present, and all passed a most enjoyable evening. and all passed a most enjoyable evening.

The Rev. Dr. D. C. Marquis, of the Theological Seminary at Chicago, paid Decatur an unexpected visit last evening and addressed the members of his old sermon. All are invited.

be admitted. There will be a fine exhibi-tion of gymnastics and calesthenics, and The Doctor left for Chicago on the night train. He will pay Decatur a visit on the 20th, when he will speak at the tabernacle on the occasion of the Y. M. C. A. anni

Charles A. Ewing, Esq, returned home last evening from Chicago, where this week he attended the annual meeting of the Princeton College Alumni. Mr. Ewing is a graduate of Princeton College of '67, the president of which, Dr. McCost was present. The bauquet was spread at the Tremont House. A brilliant recep-tion in honor of the venerable president, was held at the residence of Mr. Cyrus H. held at Stapp's Chapel Sunday morning, 13th inst. At 10:30 o'clock Sir Knight McCormick. Rev. R. N. Davies will conduct the exercises. All Sir Knights in the city are

Dr. D. C. Marquis. It will be announced in the Decatur churches to-morrow that on Sunday, April 20th, the anniversary exercises of the formation of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. wil be held at the tabernacle at 7:30 p. m. It will be a very interesting meeting. Addresses will be made by Rev. Dr. Marquis, of the Theological Seminary of Chicago, and by Robert Wendensall, Secretary of the International Association.

Easter Services. Programme of the Easter Festal Ser vice of the Sunday school at the English Lutheran church Sunday evening at 7 30

Pastor and School Choir fersiele and response Pastor and School PastoSchool and ""
The Cross of Christ Your King

Carol "The Cross of Land"
Address
The Lord's Prayer School and Paste
Hemn "Give Thanks to God the Lord"

DECATUR TO OREGON H. P. Beach's Trip Through the Gree

We have received a copy of the Benton (Oregon) Leader, which contains the following of interest to Mr. Beach's many acquaintances in this county.

acquaintances in this county.

Last Saurnlay's wost side train brought to Corvallis Mr. H. P. Beach, late of Warrensburg, Ill., who is, by marriage, a nephew of Dr. J. R. Rapley, of this city. Last fall Mr. Beach visited Oregon on a prospecting tour, traveting all through the State, including the loudly advertised eastern portion; as a result of his observations, he has, with his family, come to Henton County and proposes in the future to dwell among us. His family express themselves delighted with Oregon, particularly when contrasting the sugshine and showers of the past few days with the olimate they left in Hinous a little over a week ago, whon the thermometer stood at zero. Mr. Beach is a well to do farmer and stock raiser. He brought out with him six full blooded Jorsey cows, such as will charm the oye of every lover of fine stock; also some poultry of improved breeds. Mr. Beach has not purchased a farm yet, but expects to do so when he finds one to suit his taste; in the meanthme he is realding in the Presbyterian parsonage. In this city. He is the first man to bring an eastern Make purchases this week at your own prices. The public generally is invited to one to suit his taste: in the meanthme he is reslding in the Presbyterian parsonage, in this
city. He is the lirst man to bring an eastern
freight car to Corvallis. Before leaving Warrensburg he chartered a box car, loaded it
carfully with his bousehold furniture, agricultural implements, stock, etc., and it came
through with him, landing in Corvallis last
Saturday night, with everything in excellent
shape. It is a car belonging to the Chicago,
Milwaukee & St Paul railroad, and appearing
away out here in Corvallis, twenty-five hundred miles from heme, it seemed like a stranger
in a strange land, jawakening more or less
ourlosity among the "web-footers" who saw it,
We are glad to welcome Mr. Beach amoung us,
We need more men of the same kind in Benton County.

Stine's Surprise Party-His new line of intest styles of neckwast

A STUMP-BLOWING SHOW. Mr. E. C. Reese Gives a Free Exhibition With Hercules Giant Powder.

According to announcement Mr. E. C.

Reese, general Decatur and western agent

for the Hercules Powder Company, yes-

terday afternoon gave a splendid exhibi-

tion of the power of Hercules as a stump

eradicator in the J. Millikin timber pas-

ture east of the fair grounds; and the ra-

sult was to fully demonstrate the truth of

all that has been said in its favor. About

300 people witnessed the exhibition and

the general verdict was one of unquali-

fied approval. A large number of stumps

that looked as if they had taken root in

the pasture to stay in defiance of batter-

ing rams or any other "Rough on Stumps"

agency, were selected by Mr. Reese as

subjects upon which to test the power of

Hercules, and each and every one suc-

cumbed in short order. Holes were bored

in the roots of each stump and charges of

the giant powder in cartridges were in-

serted. Then at a safe distance the

cartridges were fired by means of an elec-

tric battery, and instantly the stumps

were completely uprooted, demonstrating

to the wonder and satisfaction of all pres-

a grand achievement, the simplest and

least expensive manner of clearing a field

of stumps in short order. The use of this

and it saves a vast amount of hard work

In each and every instance vesterday the

were completely approated and torn into

The REPUBLICAN reporter exercised ex-

treme caution by occuping a safe position

and after the exhibition he secured the

following expressions from the spectators:

Mr. W. T. Wells eard: "It is a great

James L. Peake "It is a grand die-

overy."
W. H. Shorb: "I endorse it."
Dr. O. F. Parker "It beats anything I

ever saw."

J. Frank Montgomery: "I never ex-

pected to live to see such a grand success in the way of lifting stumps."

Jacob Wilhs: "It's a h'ister."

J. B. Bullard: "It is the wonder of the

age. Never saw anything like it. 'Her-cules' would be immense to knock out

teeth if the subject could survive the

Mr. Reese's place of business is at 257

North Main 'street, "Sportsmen's Head

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

PIRST PRESETTERIAN CHURCH.

the pastor. At the morning service there

will be the reception of members, the bap-tism of adults, and the administration of

the Lord's Supper. Subject of morning discourse: "Memory;" of evening sermon: "Jacob's Strategy." Young people's meeting at 7 p m in lecture room. Sunday

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Geo. B. Vosburgh, pastor, preaches at 10:30 a m and 7:30 p m. Easter services all day. Subject of the morning sermon: "Christ the Resurrection and the Life." Subject of the evening sermon: "If a Man Die Shell He Live Again?" All

'If a Man Die Shall He Live Again?" All the seats in this church are free. Sunda school at 9:15 a m.

ENGLISH EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Rev. A. W. Walter, pastor. Services at 10.30 a m and 7:30 p m. Holy Commun-

ion in the morning. Easter Festal Service in the evening by the Sunday school

every night next week All invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Prenching by the paster at the usual

Y. M. C. A.

The gospel meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms will be led by Henry Lunn. You are cordially invited.

Attention, Knights Templars

The annual Easter celebration of Beau-

manoir Commandery No. 9, K. T., will be

courtequaly invited to assemble at the

Temple and join in the observances of

the day. The Temple will be open at 90%

J. W. Baker Says

marks his goods high enough to sell them

at half of the marked price, and the peo-

ple have too much sense to believe an;

body will sell goods "regardless of cost,"

or sell shoes for "75 cents that are as good

as \$4.00 shoes." All he asks is that you

examine his shoes and prices and he is

satisfied that you will agree that he is

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tial meal for 25 cents, go to the Woman's

Obristian Temperance Union Dining Hall.

Ir they had the right to vote at the

city election, the "5 Queens," who will be

here next week, would probably toss up

to decide how they would go on the

SECURE your reserved seate at Cartie &

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EAST ELDORADO ST.

the new Spring Carpets, Curtains and Wall Decorations at ABEL & LOCKE'S.

he is still on deck with good, solid, serviceable shoes, at low prices, although he has too much respect for truth and verscity and the intelligence of the community to advertise "goods at half price" or "shoes regardless of cost" or "75 cent shoes that are as good as \$4.00 shoes." Nevertheless he will sell you good shoes at as low prices as any firm in the city. He never

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS Macon County, SS Macon County, SS In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1884.

Samuel F. Davidson, Hannah M. Davidson, Jasper A. Davidson and Mary E. D. Davidson vs William L. Riber, Lavona Riber, George A. Riber, Alico Riber, John Riber, Emma Tedfond, Joseph H. Tedford, Clell Riber, George W. Riber, Cluthia Rendure, John Rendure, Mathia Jame Schroll, William Foley, Catharmo Riber, and E. D. Riber, Bill for Parti Ion.

Allidavit of the non-residence of said George A. Riber, Buller Circlin Bendure, John Rendure, Mathida Jame Schrolt, Catherine Riber and E. D. Riber, a portion of the defendants in the above entitled cause, notice is bereby

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 88

THE MONARCH

Publication Notice.

MAGGE COUNTY, 180

County Court of Macon county, to the April Term, A. D. 1881. Michael Blann, executor of the last will and unfinited without Cantrell, decounty.

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Administrator's Sale.

Estate of Mahoveky A. Chicken, decensed State of MARONES, A. CSECIN, deceased. DUBLIC NOTHE is horeby given that on I saturday, appliant, A. D. 1881, I. Rocert Conkein, dury appointed administration of sadomiate, with soon at the west door of the Court House in the city of Dicatur, in the county of Macon and Satte at tillness, in pursuance of a decretar occler of the Courty Court el said county, to the highest and best disks r. in public ounty, to the highest and best disks r. in public ounty, to the highest and best disks r. in public ounty, it the hour of two o'clock? M. on said day, the following described cear extra, to-wit. The west hait (b) of the southeast quarter (b) of section six (b), in township lifteen (b) north, range six (b) cast of the time? P. M., contaming oldity (80) nores, mane or less, situated in Montitle county, in the State of

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(10) (EUT CONKLIN, Admir Appendix March 25th, 184-41w)

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | HE Mneon County, from the Circuit Court to May Term, 1884.

In the Circuit Court to May Term, 184.

Margaret A. Legard va. David M. Legard—In Chaptery—Divorce.

A Priday IT of the non-residence in the A State of littleds of David M. Legard, the derendant in said cause, having becentied in the orace of the Circuit Court of Mason county, Illinois, Soider is hereby given to the said defendant that the said complaint to the said defendant in the Grout Court of Macon county, Illinois, Soider is hereby given to the said the best in the Grout Court of Macon county, Illinois, o the chancery side thereof against the said defendant to the May term, 1881, of said south that a summons it said cause has been beaued against yet be said defendant, refer able said south that a summons it said cause has been beaued against yet for all the said said south that a summons it said cause has been beaued against yet for all the said said saids a be by have required, and that said south the said saids is yet pending and undetermined it entit south.

B. McCLELLIAN.

Clerk Circuit Court.

Theorems. Illinois, March 31, 1884.

berand E. D. Riber, a portion of the defendants in the above entitled cause, notice is bereby given the said deorgo A. Riber, Alice Riber, Cinthia Bendure, John Bondure, Matida Jane Senvolt, Catharine Riber and E. D. Riber, that said complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said cause in the said Circuit Court of Macon County. Illinois, on the chancery said thereof, against the said defondants to the May term, A. D., 1884, of said court, praying for the partition and division of cortain lands described in said bill of complaint; and that a signmona thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May, 1884, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and untilegosod of in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Circuit Clerk.

April 2, 1884-447 Wask blo a day at huma castly Costly out the free, Address Tage Wolls-day

The Daily Republican.

THE Indianapolis Journal says "the criminal lawyers must go; that our courts must reach out and lift his legal scalp if necessary." How such nonsense as that is going to correct the laxity of courts and secure the punishment of criminals is difficult to see. Is every lawyer who defends a man accused of crime, and does it with ability, to be boycotted? Are only dullards in the profession o be allowed to defend a man on trial for his life? Many a man is accused of crime which he never committed. Are the courts to "reach out and lift the legal scalp" of his attorney who dares to defend him by every means in his reach? Put twelve men of sound judgment upon the jury, with a righteous and wise judge upon the bench, and employ as prosecutors men of the best legal ability, and the reform will begin at once. But it never can nor will be reached by mobbing or scalping criminal lawyers.

MR. HERBERT SPENCER, the English scientific philosopher, expresses threatens England-the slavery of "socialism," which, he says, is advancing step by step towards the mastery. It is very evident that Mr. Spencer is needlessly apprehensive. That which he, being imbued with prejudices in favor of arisis really what we in this country call republicanism, and, after a pretty fair trial of over an hundred years, the American people have not yet made the frightful discovery that republicanism is "slavery;" while, on the other hand, it is difficult to conceive of a worse slavery than that which the people of England voluntarily submit to by keeping up the senseless but very which has a superfluous King or Queen at its head, with a House of Lords--she creature of the throneto defeat the will of the people, as represented in the House of Com-

PRINCE BISMARCK is no admirer of eloquence. "It is with these eloquent gentlemen," be says, "as with adies who have small feet. They wear boots which are much too tight and always try to show their feet. So if anybody has the misfortune to be eloquent, his speeches are too long and too frequent."

According to Governor Hale, of New Hampshire, the officeholders of his state are for Arthur, many of the prominent men are for Edmunds and the people are for Blaine. He prudently concludes, however, by saying, "It is impossible to say yet what New Hampshire will do."

| by | find. He took this to a printing-office and printed on it 'Grand Marshal of the Convention,' and with that worn WM. A. BRIDGES,

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The Cincinnati News-Journal flies to the relief of its Democratic Governor and Mayor, and defends the promiscuous firing of the militia which killed many people remote from the scene of disorder. It says: The sentimental ninnies who are heaping blame on the minitia are of that inconducty class which does more harm than good to a community. The militis did their work nobly. On Friday night no death could be directly attributed to the militia On Saturday night, when the character of the besiegers had become communistic, it was a pity that the militia did not mow down a few thousand of the lawless mob."

Our Present Bleesings. Our blessings are not appreciated until we are deprived of them. Most notable among them is health, the lack of which magnifies our other burdens. A hacking cough, a severe cold or any throat or lung disease is very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently removed by Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure. Trial bottle free of Dr. A. J. Stoner, physician and druggist, 14 south side new

Or the occasion of Matthew Arnold's first talk on reaching home the London Truth says: "Whenever ho wished to be particularly impressive he was perfectly inaudible."

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Society in Washington.

morality, few people who have passed a winter in Washington will deny the charm of its society. Acknowledging all its faults, its crudeness—narrovness, perhaps—and its lack of form, it must yet be acknowledged that it differs from all other American society in the fact that it is not founded on wealth. It is the only society which is really republican, though it has little resemblance to the "Republican Court" o the first Administration—the only one in America which has a well-defined basis. And that basis is public station. temporarily conferred, whether directly or indirectly, by the expressed wishes of fellowmen. The holding of such public station necessarily implies intelligence, and thus it is intelligence, as distinguished from lineage or which is the fundamental basis in Washington society. Such a society does not feel obliged to adopt certain customs because it is reported at second hand that they are good form in London. Its opinions are robustly independent, its information is extensive, and its subjects of conversation are many and varied. It is not to be imagined that such a society is well defined, or that its rules are clearly established—though it is true that the "Etiquette of Social Lite in Washington ' has been most elaborately formulated in a little pamphlet of which a fresh edition is perennially produced, and which is said to soll in great numbers. It is undoubtedly open the criticism of being raw, to the same extent—but no more—that society in London is subservient and snobbish. mercial Nothing can be more ridicu-lous than the public levess of the President, where the doors are thrown open that every person in the street may enter them in a crush, and stand in a slowly-moving procession for two hours, in order that during had a minute of that time the President may be seen and his arm may be wrenched. But this is not peculiar to Washington alone. Such "public receptions" are inflicted upon Presidents in all cities which they visit. Hardly less incongruous are the Wednesday afterneon receptions of the wives of Cabinet officers; when ther doors are also thrown open and hundreds of strangers tramp through their parlors "to pay their respects." The wives of and Senators and Representatives have to endure the same thing on other afternoons of the week. It has

American city, and there are no other dinner parties so entertaining as those of Washington.—Century. "Queer Ducks."

price of public station But no matter

what office a man may hold, no one may come to his dinner table without an in-

vitation. And it is in dinners that

Washington society excels. Diplomats

world; men distinguished in political

life, on the Bench, and in war; men of

science and men of letters: women of

intelligence and culture, with the native

grace and beauty for which American

women are insily celebrated-there is

no such wealth of choice in any other

"Newspaper mon are queer ducks," said a local politician, who was one of the Committee of Arrangements for the National Republican Convention in 1880, as we turned and walked out of the theater. "They remember well when they want to, and are close as oysters when they don't want to remember. There is one of them in town who played a trick on our committee in 1880 that upsets me whenever I think of it. Tickets, you know, were very scarce, and we were driven nearly crazy by persistent applications from distin-

guished visitors.
"The man I speak of made no applications for tickets. He went to a regalia store and purchased the most striking and elaborate badge he could conspicuously on his coat he sailed b the door-keepers without being challenged, and passed and repassed, receiving from ushers, detectives and guards the most respectful consideration. He grew bolder the second day, and passed in probably a dozen persons. The next day he took in twice as many, and in the end passed in to the Exposition Building probably a hundred per-sons. All this was done with the flourish of certainty, courage and convic-tion, and the fun of the thing was that none of the committee thought at the

time of inquiring into the matter." The same man,' said a night editor of one of the morning papers when he heard the name, "is the follow who is mainly responsible for the inauguration of the movement that drove Dr. Thomas out of the Methodist Church. He was present at the gathering of a few friends when the Doctor was called upon to make a few remarks over the remains of an actor who had died the day be-fore. The Doctor, in the plentitude of his sympathy, had written out some sion, but after looking them over decided to take up a slightly different line of

"He put the manuscript in his coat pocket and proceeded to speak off-hand such words of comfort as came to his mind. His newspaper triend, seeing that the Doctor was absorbed in his subject, extracted the manuscript from his coat-tail pocket and took it to a morning paper, in which it was printed as a verbatim report of what Thomas said at an actor's funeral. The Doctor was embarrassed in his denial because he knew that the alleged report was what he had written but had not spoken. Out of these circumstances came the agitation that led to the withdrawal of Dr. Thomas from the Methodist Church. -- Chicago Inter Ocean.

-Tanner's record in fasting has been greatly surpassed by a Newburg spider that lived two hundred and four days without food or water. That specimen ought to be stuffed and mounted for permanent preservation with the record of his extraordinary fast. California spiders stuffed are in great demand for collections at fifty cents apiece. This Tanner spider ought to fetch a large price for a museum.—N. Y. Tribune.

-W. P. Elliott, of Lewiston, Pa., ninety-one years of age, is still editing

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A nice base ball, bat and cap for a pres-ent when you buy your suit at Fleury's One Price Clothing House. THE best Ice Cream pure cream does MR. Tilden continues to assure

the footsore and interrogating pil-Leaving aside the question of political grims who go up to Gramercy Park that he doesn't want the Democratic nomination; but it should not escape observation that in one of the latest of these interviews he so far qualifind the customary statement in this shalf as to say that he "would cheerfully give both health and life" if he believed the interests of the country demanded such a sacrifice. When a man talks in that high Roman fashion, it may be reasonably surmised that he hasn't quite given up the idea of running for something.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa, writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking skeleton. Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consentration which did me so much good sumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health with a hearty appetite, and a gain in flesh of 48 pounds," Call at Swearingen & Hubbard's drug store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles \$1.00. a3 Diseases. Large bottles \$1.00.

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M. E. Lukens
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March 13-dt: If you want soft coal that will not fill cened Mt. Olive of R. McOlelland.

A MARVELOUS STORY TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882. Gentlemen: My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrot-ula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

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has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a screfulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he had a house you medicine. Now there are he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily usine fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case. Yourstruly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

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ELECTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that on Tuceday April 15th, 1884, an election will be held in the city of Decatur for the purpose of electing one aiderman from each ward in said city Said election will be held at the following places:

pinces:
In the First Ward, at Neptune Hose House.
"Second" at City Council Roooms.
"Third" at Rescue Hose House.
"Fourth" at County clerk's office.
"Fifth" at County clerk's office. Which election will be opened at 8 o'clock in the morning and continue open until 7 o'clock in the afternoon of that day. Dated this 24th day of March, 1884, March 24-dtd C. M. DURFER, City Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, \ Macon County, \ \ 158
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1884.

Ellen A. Chapman vs. Sarah McBride, John I Rulett, John A. Brown, Trustee, Ida May Chapman, Charles R. Fulett and Justus B Conklin.—Chaucery. Conklin.—Chancery.

A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Charles A E Hulett and Justus B. Conkin, two of the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macen county, notice is hereby given to said Charles E Hulett and Justus B. Conklin that the complainant heretofore filed her amended or supplemental bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said courty, on the Second Monday of Maynext (1881), as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

March 29th, 1884—diw

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Macon County, | 188

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1884. fasper J. Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, complainants, vs. Nancy Jane Dawson, Lavenia A. Keppie, Jesse Keppie, Jennetta Matthias, David Metthias, Fanny House, William Rouse, Hattle Mumaugh and Charles Mumaugh, defendants—Bill to Fore-

Charies Munaugh, defendants—Bill to Foreclose.

A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of JenA netta Matthias, David Matthias, Panny
Rouse and William Rouse, part of the defendants above named, having been filed in the
office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of
Macon county, notice is hereby given to the
said Jennetta Matthias, David Matthias, Fanny
Rouse and William Rouse that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in
said court on the chancery side thereof, and
that a summons thereupon issued out of said
court against all said defendants in said cause,
returnable at the Court House in the city of
Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday
of May next, (1884), as is by law required;
which said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

April 1, 1884—diw

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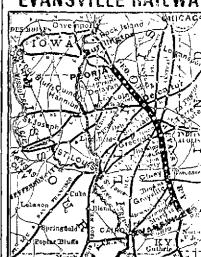
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